

# THE MIRROR JOURNAL

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## WORLD'S PRIZE FOR BEST WHEAT

At the International Dry Farming Congress at Tulsa, Okla., Paul Gerlach, a German-American farmer, residing near Allan, Sask., on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, has captured the first prize for wheat in competition with the farmers of the world. He exhibited Marquis Wheat weighing seventy-one pounds to the bushel.

Mr. Gerlach won a Separator worth \$125.00. In addition

Mr. M. Donaldson, Vice President and General Manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has forwarded to Mr. Gerlach a handsome clock. This is designed to serve as a testimonial of the interest of Mr. Donaldson and of the Grand Trunk Pacific in Mr. Gerlach's achievement. A considerable amount of fame attaches to the winning of this prize, for Mr. Gerlach's wheat will be prominently exhibited by the Governments of Canada and Saskatchewan, and by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, in many places next year.

## MIRROR WILL HAVE A HOSPITAL

That Mirror will have a Hospital is now a certainty. Dr. G. W. Meyer, the local physician is busy having an addition built to his house and when complete will be used as a hospital for the benefit of the population of the surrounding country.

This is indeed a long felt want in this district and previous to this it was necessary to send the sick either to Edmonton or to Ales, but upon the erection of this building it will reduce the amount of travelling to a minimum.

A qualified nurse from Winnipeg, has been secured by Dr. Meyer and will be in constant attendance at the hospital.

## TWO RUNAWAYS

A team driven by Messrs. Kephart and Jackson was going north along the Lamerton road and the team became frightened at an automobile driven by Mr. Anisic of Bawhaw. The team jumped forward and Mr. Kephart pulled them up sharp and caused the pole, which had been slipped previously, to snap about a foot from the neck-yoke.

The team then dashed along the road and the occupants thrown out, Mr. Jackson being among the worse for his fall, but Mr. Kephart was placed in the automobile and in an unconscious condition was rushed to Dr. Meyer's, at Mirror, under whose care he stayed until next day.

We are pleased to hear that his injuries are not serious and is now making good headway to recovery.

The team tore down several rods of fence and one contracted a deep cut, while the rig was badly smashed.

While out shooting last week a team driven by Messrs. L. S. Olson and Bell started a marathon with a number of colts in the vicinity of the former's house, and although the finish was not seen by the gentlemen in question it was thought that the colts were the winners, the team feeling the pace to such an extent that they decided to disperse with the rig, the pieces being picked up afterwards.

We are given to understand that it is good policy to tie the team up when leaving their standing, but it is generally good business for the blacksmith, and some people have got too much money away.

## G. T. P. PIPE LINE NEAR FINISH

An effort will be made to finish the G. T. P. pipe line running to Buffalo Lake by tomorrow (Saturday) night.

There is also about 250 feet of pipe to lay on the west end of the line to connect with the line already completed and the water tank.

The hydrants to be installed by the village have not been received but are expected to arrive any day. The hydrants were shipped from Montreal some time ago and are now on the road, but apparently have been lost in transit.

A fine line of private Greeting Cards at The Journal Office. Call and look them over.

## MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

The meeting of the School Board last Monday evening was largely attended and it was noticeable that several of the country people were there.

Letters were read from MacKen & Hanes, architects of the school house (who's services were dispensed with at the previous meeting) and from Hyman & Hyman, solicitors for Mr. Berry, the contractor of the school building.

The architects demanded a second plan and specifications belonging to them, together with the balance due them amounting to about \$500 be returned immediately, otherwise suit would be started at once.

The letter from Mr. Berry's solicitors stated that unless all the certificates due were not paid immediately suit would be started against the School Board.

These letters were the subject of much discussion and Mr. McCormack during the course of his remarks stated that the plans and specifications would not be returned to the architects and that they could sue for them. This however was not in the shape of a motion and the remark from a legal standpoint is apparently worthless, although it is apparently the intention of the School Board to keep the plans and specifications in their possession.

The Ratepayers meeting called for next Tuesday should be attended by all ratepayers if possible, the School House being the meeting place and the time 8.30 sharp.

## AT THE IMPERIAL

Friday, Nov. 14.—G. E. McMillan, A. F. McNichol, R. Merkley, Edmonton; K. G. Osterhout, C. J. Osterhout, Idaho; W. J. Greig, Trochu; W. C. Gillies, Edmonton; H. Schwieger, Bawhaw.

Saturday.—R. V. McNichol, R. Merkley, R. Reynolds, C. A. Voigt, Edmonton.

Sunday.—R. Reynolds, Edmonton; W. F. Puffer and wife Lacombe; Wm. Milner, Winnipeg.

Monday.—Jas. S. H. Row, Camrose; R. V. McNichol, R. Merkley, H. Rosenbaum, Edmonton; P. S. McCumb, Calgary; R. H. Thibault, Lacombe; Geo. Falk, Winnipeg; F. A. Miller and family, Trochu; E. W. Parnell, Geo. Cameron, Calgary; H. M. Robb, Strath; L. J. Deveau, Trochu; J. J. Wood, Winnipeg; E. Johnstone, E. Garney, E. Gaudet, Edmonton; C. R. Tredger, Wainwright; R. H. Morton, Camrose; C. R. Heath, Melville; R. Goyne, Camrose.

Tuesday.—Alex. Mathie, Alix; J. M. Roberts, Camrose; R. Merkley, B. A. Cohen, Edmonton; W. H. Hurd, Montreal; E. U. Caulder, Edmonton; Geo. A. Pennington, Boston; J. E. Stiers and wife, Bawhaw.

Wednesday.—N. Genz, Edmonton; E. McKenna, Calgary; C. H. Galban, W. A. Moore, Edmonton; J. D. Murdoch, Buffalo Lake; Wm. McCrumble, R. K. Mansell, Edmonton; J. Murdoch, Brandon; R. M. Smith, O. F. Stewart, Edmonton.

Thursday.—C. Anderson, Edmonton; L. J. Deussens, Trochu; C. R. Tredger, Wainwright; J. H. Culp, G. T. P.; H. Smith, Alix.

A most enjoyable dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cockell, five miles south of Mirror, on Saturday evening of last week. A number of Mirror people were present and report a fine time.

Mrs. Jno. and Mrs. Ed. Kehue, of Mirror, have taken over the restaurant and bakery business formerly conducted by Wm. Dennis. We wish the ladies success in their undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Buehler, left on Thursday morning for Tohester, Minn. Mrs. Buehler has not been enjoying the best of health for some time and will consult a specialist in the hospital there.

Mr. Smith, the section foreman, and P. L. Harper, our agent here are bawling now. They are taking an awful chance, but seem quite fat and sound over their own cooking.—Herald.

Inspector Thibault was a visitor in Mirror last Monday, and attended the School Board meeting on that evening.

An enjoyable skating party was held last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright. Several parties attending from the surrounding country and a good time was had by all.

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with No. 1 train, from the above  
points.  
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a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat-  
urday, arrives Tofield 1 p.m.  
No. 30, mixed, leaves Tofield 11 a.m.  
Monday, Wednesday and Friday, ar-  
rives Mirror 5:30 p.m.  
There is no regular train schedule  
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## WHERE FARMING IS PAYING WELL

Production in the New Glasgow In-  
dustrial District Cannot Keep  
Pace With the Demand

The town of New Glasgow, Nova  
Scotia, is selected by Mr. W. A.  
Crack in "The Canadian Country-  
man" as typical of many towns and  
cities in the Maritime Provinces  
where industries are bringing busi-  
ness and prosperity to both farmer  
and citizen. He points out that the  
revival of progress in the provinces  
by the sea, where there was stag-  
nation for thirty years or more, is  
directly attributable to a single cause,  
namely, the development of industry.  
"Sydney, New Glasgow, Truro, Am-  
herst, St. John, Halifax, Moncton and  
Bathurst," says Mr. Crack, "are nam-  
es a few leading examples, are all on the  
up grade because of what is called in-  
dustries are accomplishing and, as the  
industrial towns advance, the whole  
country will respond to the call. It was  
the building of ships that was the basis  
of the former development of the  
Maritime Provinces. It will be the  
manufacture of many other com-  
modities that will bring back those days  
of prosperity."

What benefit does the community de-  
rive from this industrial development?  
New Glasgow is far enough away from  
other towns to be self-sufficient. There-  
fore, its working classes spend their  
money at home. Wages are undoubtedly  
good as compared with the cost of  
living. The average pay of mill work-  
ers from \$2.50 to \$2.75 per day  
while in the structural shops work-  
ers earn from \$2 to \$2.50 per day; the  
latter price being paid for good, all  
round men and riveters. Men who  
are capable of handling blue prints  
and acting as squad bosses in the  
structural shops get from \$2.50 to \$3  
per day. In the N. S. Steel and Coal  
Co. all the men employed in the mills  
are paid by the tonnage; helpers earn  
from \$2.50 to \$3 per day and rollers  
from \$5 to \$6 per day. Wages of  
ordinary laborers in New Glasgow are  
17 1/2 cents per hour. Summing everything  
up, it is computed that between  
\$15,000 and \$16,000 cash is put into  
circulation every fortnight in New  
Glasgow, Stellarton and Westville,  
of which a 1 per cent percentage is spent  
in New Glasgow stores.

The effect of the increasing indus-  
trial population on the agricultural  
situation is highly important. In Pictou  
County, which contains some of the  
best farming land in the Province,  
the number of abandoned farms is a  
depressing feature. Lack of markets  
was the direct cause of the agricul-  
tural slump, which led to the disap-  
pearance of a large section of the  
farming community. Today young  
people do not leave the farm because  
there is no money in farming; in the  
New Glasgow district they leave be-  
cause wages are so good in the fac-  
tories and the life is attractive.  
Meanwhile prices of farm products  
are soaring and production cannot  
keep pace with the demand. A strong  
movement has set in to settle the land.  
Already abandoned farms are being  
reoccupied and steps are being taken  
to encourage English settlers to come  
in and cultivate the soil.

## SORE SHOULDERS, YOUNG HORSES

Large Collars are Usually the Cause—  
Colls Should be Gradually  
Toughened to Work

The care of the shoulders of young  
horses is one of the most important  
factors to keep in mind during the  
first few weeks of the spring work.  
A horse can not do satisfactory work  
with shoulders that pain him every  
time he takes a step. The horse may  
be looked upon as a machine that is  
expected to do so much work, and is  
in some of the mechanism is out of order,  
then the amount of work is lessened.  
But, also the animal must be looked  
upon as a creature with feeling and  
ambition, taking pride in its work,  
that is a willing, obedient, and, there-  
fore, valuable servant, and should be  
properly cared for.

The first thing of importance to  
consider in the draft horse is the collar.  
Most injured shoulders are the re-  
sult of poorly-fitting collars, and the  
fact usually lies in a collar being too  
large. It is a good idea to have a  
harness-maker fit the collar to your  
horses. He may be able to rescue  
padding, and in other ways make the  
collar easy so that it will fit snugly.  
Heavy collar pads are to be avoided  
if possible. They are not and cause  
the shoulder to sweat, this keeps the  
pad and shoulder wet, and the skin  
becomes soft and bilious easily.

Dirty collars are probably as res-  
ponsible for sore shoulders as fitting  
ones. In the spring the horse's  
hair is long and holds large quanti-  
ties of dirt and scales from the skin.  
It is soft from lack of work and  
events probably. This forms a gum  
my dirt that adheres to the collar and  
makes, when dry, a hard, tough sur-  
face. The ordinary farm hand feels  
that his duty is done if he scrapes the  
dirt from the collar with the back of  
his jack-knife. This method, however,  
is not an especially good one for the  
leather of the collar, and a smooth  
surface is not left. A damp sponge  
used in the evening at soon as the  
collar is taken off will, in one or two  
minutes, remove the dirt. This may  
be followed by an oiled rag. If this is  
done, the collar, in the morning, should  
be soft and smooth.

Careless driving, jerking a horse  
out of the furrow and into it again,  
allowing him to work with his head  
around on one side, all tend to produce  
sore shoulders.

Of course, the first precaution to  
take is not to ask the colt to do a full  
day's work until he learns something  
about his job and ceases to fret. The  
shoulders will then gradually become  
tougher. It is a good idea to sponge  
the shoulders with cold water—just  
plain cold water—after each work-  
ing session. This will keep the skin  
cool and healthy. Also wash solutions of tannic acid. Alcohol  
tends to roughen the skin.

The injuries to the top of the neck  
very frequently result in fistulas,  
writers, etc. A blister near the point  
of the shoulder is likely to become a  
callosus and form what is known as a  
"cold sweat." It is a good idea to  
keep drivers are equally responsible for  
a condition known as "weavey."  
If an accident occurs and in spite  
of careful attention a horse's shoulder  
becomes injured, do not wait until a  
fistula has developed, or an abscess  
has formed, or the animal is  
"weavey," but seek the advice of a  
veterinarian while there is still a chance  
to check the progress of the injury.  
This is not the proper place to teach  
the treatment of such conditions after  
the injury has been done; it takes  
years of school work to do that, but it  
is a good opportunity to impress upon  
the minds of horse owners that such  
unfortunate things may be entirely  
avoided.

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## THE TARIFF AGITATION

Calgary Standard Notes American Tariff is Much Higher Than Canadian

There are many who are hopeful that, as our largest export trade is with the United States, as a near market, the new president will remove a few bricks from the top of their tariff wall, to admit our goods on easier terms than hitherto. Many are arguing that in such an event Canada should reciprocate by lowering her tariff on United States imports. Advocates of such a policy are doubtless unaware that the tariff of the United States is much higher than that of Canada. The average ad valorem rate of duty imposed on all dutiable goods during the fiscal year 1911 by the United States against other countries was only 15.1-2 per cent. That is, the average United States rate against the world was 15.85 per cent. higher than the Canadian. Moreover, the average ad valorem rate of duty imposed on Canadian dutiable goods is only 35 per cent. By all means let the United States reduce their tariff until it reaches the level of the Canadian tariff. This will put the two countries on an even trading basis. During the year ended the last of March of last year, we imported from the United States goods valued at \$562,353,173, and exported to the United States goods valued at \$120,554,950. Thus equal tariffs, the balance of the trade will be more in our favor—Calgary Standard.

## THE TALL CHIMNEY

Hamilton's Lesson to Canada in Factory Development

Hamilton exhibits probably the best fruits of modern progress to be found in Canada. During 1912 about that city received from the United States five big factories which will represent approximately two million dollars at once, and more in the near future. These five factories will manufacture steel cars of all kinds, steel and malleable castings, porcelain-ware and electric and other railway equipment. The two thousand employees will require at least four hundred new houses in which to reside with their families, besides a number of new stores from where their daily necessities will be obtained. The five new factories will add to the city's population from the States to Hamilton, and also a large number of pure Canadian firms which will begin operations in that city during the year.

## BRITISH WAGES

More Importation of Manufactured Goods Would Lower Canada's Wages

The manufacturers of Canada have been severely censured for opposing any increase in the British preference. Industrial Canada has been attacked by a dozen newspapers for making the statement: "We want to see less British and foreign manufactures come in, and more made in Canada." The prople of industrial concern, who feel disposed to vote for politicians who want to lower the duties against British goods should study the following Government statistics dealing with wages.

Of the eight million adult wage workers in England:

- Four per cent. receive less than \$3.05 a week.
- Eight per cent. are paid from \$3.05 to \$4.07.
- Twenty per cent. receive from \$4.07 to \$4.10.
- Twenty-one per cent. get from \$4.10 to \$4.19.
- Thirteen per cent. get from \$4.19 to \$4.85.
- And only six per cent. get more than \$4.85 per week.

The people who receive these wages make goods which are partially kept out of Canada by the duty. If the duty is lowered, more British goods will enter Canada. If Canadian manufacturers have to cut selling prices to meet the increased competition, part of their loss must fall on their employees. Do Canadian workmen want these wages?

A \$15,000 warehouse will be erected in Regina, Sask., for the Garden City Feeder Co.

Woodland Dairy, Limited, Edmonton, Alta., has recently been incorporated with an authorized capital of \$100,000.

It is stated that the Canadian Paper Mills Co., Chicago, Ill., will establish a warehouse in Edmonton, Alta.

The Regina Flour Mill Co. will erect an elevator and a flour mill with a capacity of 1,000 barrels per day, in Regina, Sask.

H. C. Strachan, of Minneapolis, Minn., will establish a \$250,000 paper mill in Prince Albert, Sask.

## EASY VICTIMS OF CLEVER ROGUES

Fortune Telling Fair Did a Big Bust—Clients Were Mostly Women

Something like 1,500 letters containing money and addressed to a certain "fortune teller" were sent to the Montreal Post Office to the desk of the department at Ottawa. Most of these letters came from young women in the United States and Canada, who desired "inside information," and were willing to pay for it.

The young women wanted to know whether their future husbands would love them, whether to marry the tall fair one or the short dark fellow. In the small sum of two dollars the "fortune teller" guaranteed to reveal the desired information from the stars.

Cash Relief in

The professor advertised in a number of magazines and newspapers, and for a time the money paid poured in. He was first located in St. John, N.B., where the post office authorities quickly put him out of business. Then for a short time he was located in St. Lambert, Quebec, but finally he was driven out of the city by the post office authorities in that city. The professor in turn became "wary" and was not located in any one place for long.

Women are the easiest victims for such shams. They need money to learn needlework or how to make garments at home. Patent medicine or "miraculous" matrimonial business are also among the most profitably employed.

Another Scheme

Upon the representations of a Florida land company a Montreal man purchased some land in Florida with a view to acquiring a title to the fortune telling colony. Investigation of the purchase proved the "title" to be a bogus one. The man had been misled by the representations of the Florida land company. The man had been misled by the representations of the Florida land company. The man had been misled by the representations of the Florida land company.

"We close about five or six employees," said a post office inspector. "But the Canadian laws are becoming so strict that getting employment is not so easy as it used to be. It is a very great extent now."

## INDIANS NOW WORK

Scarcity of Game and Fur Animals Brought About the Change

That the day is coming to an end when the red man will live as a fisherman, hunter and trapper is declared in a report of the Indian Department issued at Ottawa. The growing scarcity of game and fur-bearing animals in many districts is driving many of the Indians into the occupations of the paleface. The service of Indians are becoming more generally utilized as farm hands and in other industrial pursuits. The number of Indians employed in agriculture for one year amounted to 1,043,437, and in wages to \$1,016,017. While at hunting and trapping during the same time they made \$84,617. Canada's Indian population is valued at 104,666, and the Eskimo population at 4,000. In addition to the Indians of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec added 7,819 Indians to the Indian population of these provinces, and reduced the total in the Northwest Territories to 3,322. Ontario has more Indians than any other province, a total of 26,293. British Columbia, formerly led, but the addition to Ontario brought in 2,237 Indians.

## NOT MUCH LARGE TIMBER

But Much Pulwood Found in Lac La Piche Region of Alberta

It had been reported that there was considerable large timber north of Lac La Piche in northern Alberta, but an examination by Mr. S. H. Clark, of the Forestry branch of the Department of the Interior, has shown that the fact, which has too frequently been the case, that the quantity of large timber is small and only in a few scattered areas. There is, however, a large quantity of immature spruce and jack pine which needs only protection from fire to be a valuable crop from pulpwood or lumber. The land is generally covered with muskeg, and the soil is very poor. The timber is small and only in a few scattered areas. There is, however, a large quantity of immature spruce and jack pine which needs only protection from fire to be a valuable crop from pulpwood or lumber. The land is generally covered with muskeg, and the soil is very poor. The timber is small and only in a few scattered areas.

Paint From Rocks

Millions of dollars are expected to be added to the wealth of Wisconsin as the result of experiments carried out in the mining laboratory of the University of Wisconsin on the merits of Wisconsin paint materials. The process consists of painting the interior surfaces of the mine with a mixture of paint and rock. The paint is made from a mixture of paint and rock. The paint is made from a mixture of paint and rock. The paint is made from a mixture of paint and rock.

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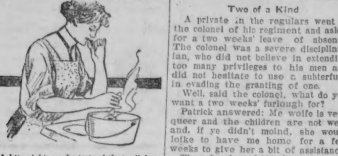
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**Oh, I** was thinking what a circus was going on inside of me.

**Yes, said the retired insurance agent,** I once got a man to take out a \$10,000 life policy only by saying before he was killed, and it took a lot of convincing to do it.

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**Well, hardly.** You see, I married the widow.

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**Dibs**—His doctor told him he must avoid silks.

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## Uses for Sawdust

Not so very long ago about the only use for sawdust, had for years been for packing ice. That when small local sawmills were common, and the amount of this form of waste wood, or at any rate approved, comparatively small. Now when the tendency is to consolidate these into large mills with a capacity of several hundred thousand feet of lumber per day, the daily waste is enormous. It seems to be enormous and much experimenting is being done to discover new methods of utilizing it.

Perhaps the most promising new method is the manufacture of ethyl (or grain) alcohol. The sawdust is treated with sulphuric acid under suitable conditions, resulting in the formation of sugar, which is then fermented to produce alcohol. Several plants have been erected to produce alcohol from wood in this manner and though there are some difficulties still to be overcome, the ultimate success of the process on a commercial scale is a sure thing.

Sawdust has been successfully made into an excellent fuel for a considerable time in Europe by a very simple process. The shavings and sawdust are first steam dried, the water contained in the wood being evaporated off. The steam is then almost liquid. The sawdust is then compacted under heat into briquets of the desired size, the contained resin acting as a binder. A firm Vancouver, B. C. company in a similar line of manufacture, is sawing briquets from the shavings and sawdust, where it is cut into short lengths by a revolving knife, merging in the form of small round briquets. These briquets are clean to handle, easy to load and leave very little ash.

In British Columbia, sawdust, on a commercial scale by treating sawdust in closed vessels with sulphuric acid under high pressure. In Austria, Texas also a plant is being built to manufacture fuel from sawdust by a somewhat similar process. The sawdust and shavings are removed from the sawdust, leaving only sugar and fibre to which is added 40 per cent of water. The mixture is then pressed into a solid mass.

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## FAC'S T.L.D. ABOUT CANADA

Leo Scheff of the London Graphic Gave Interview in London

Leo Scheff of the London Graphic, who has just completed a month's tour of 25,000 miles from coast to coast in Canada, says some remarkable facts as to the size and rapid expansion and commercial growth of Canada, during the last twelve months. This was Mr. Scheff's visit to the north and west, and a minor so that he was able to go right to the heart of a country.

At the outset of the interview he referred to the development of inland small towns and villages, among which he instances Medicine Hat. He said that in the last year, about 100,000 people have moved into the town of Medicine Hat, from which it supplies enormous quantities of flour to China and Japan. The sacks being marked in Chinese and Japanese characters. Medicine Hat, he says, is not typical of the cities that make it self through an enterprising local government.

He regretted to notice that a majority of new factories were of American origin, and thought a time that British manufacturers located in Medicine Hat, Man. and other places in the north, including Regina, and other cities in Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan. He also quoted some remarkable evidence of Medicine Hat's growth, which were very recent and not exist, and which today has a fine future. Scheff is enthusiastic about the work being carried on by a Home Renovation Association, which is doing its work with liberality and has not lost a single opportunity to take more to the opportunities that are being offered by British manufacturers as he found that British goods were far more popular there. There were many, he said, for furniture, fur, boots, shoes, drugs, clothing, furniture and so on.

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The Calgary winter Fair will take place from November 25 to 28th, and special rates can be obtained from all points on the C. P. R.

Frank Allee has moved into his fine new residence, and J. H. Salton and family are now occupying his old residence on which a suitable addition has been built.

Have you ever sent in an item of local interest to THE JOURNAL? If you haven't, there is no time like the present.

Don't forget the wrestling match in Hopkin's Hall on Saturday evening at 8:30. Prices are 50c and 75c.

**FOR SALE**—Large tent, 14 x 10 ft., new this for a snap. Apply THE JOURNAL OFFICE.

An Auction Sale of household goods will be held in Mirror on Saturday, Nov. 29th, see bills for full particulars. J. Steers the proprietor.

Rev. W. J. Chapman, of Edmonton, will conduct the service in the Methodist church Mirror on Sunday, Nov. 23rd.

A quiet wedding took place at Stettler, A. B., on W. Wednesday, Nov. 19th, when Miss Edith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sorum, of Norwood Lake, was married to Mr. A. Thompson, of Stettler. Further particulars of the interesting event will be given next week. A multitude of friends will join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Thompson a happy and prosperous journey through life.

## GOVERNMENT ASSIST TIMOTHY GROWERS

A striking example of the necessity of improvements in the methods of cleaning Timothy seed can be seen in the following figures which are published by the Dominion Seed Laboratory, Calgary.

The samples in most every case were of exceptionally fine quality and had they been properly cleaned would rank amongst the first on the market.

The suitability of many parts of Alberta and British Columbia for growing Timothy seed is unquestionable, and it is the intention of the Government, through the seed branch, to assist farmers in their selection of seed and marketing their seed.

Last year the Dominion Seed Laboratory at Calgary examined 1317 samples of Timothy of which 115 were received from

farmers, 135 of these came from Alberta, 11 from British Columbia, 8 from Manitoba, and 1 from the United States.

Of 317 samples received 278 were examined for weed seeds and graded as follows:—Extra No. 1, 7; No. 1, 23; No. 2, 99; No. 3, 54; Reject, 95.

Samples containing more than 300 weeds per bushel or a total of over 400 of all kinds of weed seeds per bushel are rejected and are prohibited from sale, under section 9 of the "Seed Control Act."

Louis quarters is by far the most prevalent weed seed found in Western grown Timothy, occurring in 294 of the samples. Other common weed seeds are worm-seed mustard, gentian, yellow, blue-eyed grass, pepper grass, tower mustard, evening primrose, western false flax, and nasturtium, called duck, and catch fly. Many of these weed seeds could be easily removed from Timothy by an ordinary fanning, mill fitted with the proper sieves.

Farmers having Timothy seed are invited to send samples to the Seed Laboratory, Calgary, for grading, or to receive information as to the proper sieves to be used for cleaning their particular seed.

Sample bags in which seed may be sent, as well as further particulars in regard to taking and sowing samples, may be had by sending a request to the above address.

Twenty-five samples of seed will be tested free of charge for any one party, after that 25c a sample is charged.

## NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of the Mirror School District No. 422 by resolution at their meeting of November 17, 1913, decided to call a meeting of the ratepayers of the District in order to discuss matters in regard to new school building. This meeting to be held in the School House on Tuesday the 25th November at the hour of 8 p. m.

W. C. GARDINER, Sec'y.

## RE-ESTATE OF H. HAT-TAM, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Harry Hatam, late of the Village of Mirror, who died on or about the 26th day of October, 1913, are required to deliver their claims and full particulars of such claims to J. P. F. Frewelling, executor, on or before the 28th day of November, 1913, and after the said 28th day of November, 1913, will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties of which we shall have received notice.

J. P. FLEWELLING } Executor  
J. W. PRINGLE }

## A COMPREHENSIVE EXHIBIT

The Grand Trunk Pacific will participate this year in the United States Land Show to be held in the Coliseum, Chicago, from November 20th to December 8th. For this purpose the company have secured a large space, covering an area of 1,000 square feet, in which they will install a comprehensive exhibit of the natural resources of the three Prairie Provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, as well as an exhibit from British Columbia, the feature of the latter being mineral products and fruit from the territory adjacent to the railway skirting the Skeena River and the exhibits depicting the development of the agricultural lands in Central British Columbia, in which are situated the Nelson and Bulkley Valleys. The entire exhibit will be embellished with hand-colored photographs made from direct negatives taken this year by the official photographers of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who covered the route from Winnipeg, Man., to Prince Rupert, B. C., through the Canadian Rockies via the Yellowhead Pass, down the Fraser River to Prince George, B. C., through the plateau and valley lands of central British Columbia, and down the Skeena to the Pacific. Thousands of interested people will view this splendid collection, and Canada will receive valuable advertising as a result.

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